

A. Amendments to the Specification

Please amend the paragraph beginning at page 54, line 12, as follows:

-- Common forms of computer-readable media include, for example, a floppy disk, a flexible disk, hard disk, magnetic tape, or any other magnetic medium, a CD-ROM, any other optical medium, punch cards, paper tape, any other physical medium with patterns of holes, a RAM, a PROM, an[[d]] EPROM, a FLASH-EPROM, any other memory chip or cartridge, a ~~carrier wave as described hereinafter,~~ or any other medium from which a computer can read. --